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Choice Exhibition and Cut Flower

# DAHLIAS

—for—

❖ 1942 ❖

## THE RAINBOW GARDENS

8 PROSPECT STREET

BALDWIN—LONG ISLAND—NEW YORK



Originators—Growers—Importers

—OF—

### DAHLIAS OF DISTINCTION

—DEFENSE STAMPS—

With every purchase of Dahlia seeds, roots and plants in 1942 we are giving 10% of the purchase price in DEFENSE STAMPS.



## GREETINGS

We wish to take this opportunity to thank you for your past patronage, and hope to be favored with your orders in the future.

Due to the tremendous increase of our sales in the past few years, we have completed a new propagating greenhouse, modern in every respect, and are now devoting full time to growing and shipping dahlias exclusively.

Having discontinued the traditional bargain sales and collections, we now offer in their place Defense Stamps. We feel sure that our new idea will appeal to you, but by no means let it conclude your purchase of Defense Stamps and Bonds.

Sincerely our best wishes to you for 1942.

THE RAINBOW GARDENS.

## OUR GUARANTEE

We guarantee that our roots, plants, and rooted cuttings are true to name, free from disease, and to grow and bloom if properly cared for. Any proving otherwise will be replaced or your money refunded.

## QUANTITY DISCOUNTS

There is included with every order of \$3.00 or more an extra root or plant, free of charge. In addition we offer—

3 of any one variety .....	less 10 %
6 of any one variety .....	less 20 %
12 of any one variety .....	less 25 %

## ABBREVIATIONS INDICATING CLASSIFICATIONS

FD .....	Formal Decorative
ID .....	Informal Decorative
SC .....	Semi-Cactus
StC .....	Straight Cactus
IC .....	Incurved Cactus
MFD .....	Miniature Formal Decorative
MID .....	Miniature Informal Decorative
MSC .....	Miniature Semi-Cactus
MC .....	Miniature Cactus
MP .....	Miniature Peony
S .....	Single

INTRODUCING FOR 1942

**MRS. ANNA KLINE**

Informal Decorative to Semi-Cactus

A beautiful canary yellow dahlia of great merit. Prolific flowering habit, with many 10x5 inch blooms produced from early season until frost and held half facing to facing on thick rigid stems well above the foliage. Keeping qualities excellent. Ideal habit of growth, branching erectly from base. Average plant height, 4 feet. Regarded as a fine yellow dahlia at the East Lansing Trial Gardens where it scored 84E. Awarded a Certificate of Merit at Storrs, 85E. This dahlia is a real gem for the garden and sure winner on the exhibition table. Originated at Kline's Dahlia Gardens, 149 Milburn Ave., Baldwin, N. Y.

Root - \$10.00

Plant - \$3.50



## 1942 INTRODUCTIONS OF OTHER GROWERS

(introducers descriptions)

### COLUMBIA---(Cuyahoga)

This tremendous Semi-Cactus is believed to be the largest and best to date. Blooms range from 12 to 16 inches with depth 10 inches or more. The color is a beautiful blend of deep gold and peach pink with the petals having a glistening sheen. Centers are high, pointed and always perfect. Blooms keep well and are held facing on strong stems 12 inches above the first leaves. Vigorous bushes are 5½ feet tall with dark and insect resisting foliage. Flowers are produced freely from early until late.

Plant \$5.00 net

Rooted cuttings \$3.30 net

### DIXIE'S MASTERPIECE--I.D.---(Dixie)

Crimson; bloom average, 12 in. by 8 in. on a 6 ft. bush. You will quit growing other reds after you grow this one. An Honor Roll Dahlia.

Plant \$5.00

### INDIAN SUMMER (Stolz)---S.C. BLOOM 10x6 in.

Of golden yellow suffused soft orange, a new and beautiful shade in a Semi-Cactus dahlia, both out-of-doors and under artificial light. A tall rugged grower with the finest of stems.

Plant \$5.00

### IVORY PRINCESS (Hawkins-Ruschmohr)---S.C.---

Ivory is the color of this huge dahlia. Tremendous blooms, that has been grown 14½ inches, are produced on long stiff stems. Bush height, 6 feet.

Plant \$5.00

3 Plants for \$12.50

### MOLLIE B. (Briggs-Ruschmohr)---

An informal decorative of tyrian pink with a flush of amaranth pink. Blooms average 12 inches, by 6 inches deep on good strong stems. Winner of the American Home Achievement Medal at the New York Show.

Plant \$5.00

3 Plants for \$12.50

### PINK ELEPHANT (Giffin-Dahliadel)---

A deep rose pink Informal Decorative. Brighter than Kathleen Norris and producer of many 12 x 7 inch blooms in field culture.

Plant \$3.50

### PINK PROFUSION (Cordes-Dahliadel)---

This Formal Decorative of intense salmon pink edged deep rose pink develops a cream center as it fully opens. Of the Jersey Beauty type with all of Beauty's good qualities plus the ability to branch more readily and produce more flowers, makes this dahlia very desirable.

Plant \$3.50

### SCARLETT O'HARA (Salem)---

Scarlet with buff orange reverse. This informal decorative produces immense blooms on good stems. Bush height about 5 feet.

Plant \$7.50

### STEPHEN FOSTER (Salem)---

A huge incurved cactus of buff orange suffused tyrian rose. Winner of four Achievement Medals, two A.D.S. Medals, besides many other specials and blue ribbons.

Plant \$10.00

### TOP FLIGHT (Southern)---

A semi-cactus dahlia of bright blood red. 11 inch blooms of perfect formation are held on long strong stems. Bush growth vigorous. Color will not fade which is unusual in a red dahlia.

Plant \$5.00

### **WINTER MORN (Dahliadel)---**

A new white sport of Frau Ida Mansfield with the same good qualities of its parent, and plenty of vitality. An unusual keeper for a cactus dahlia.

**Plant \$2.50**

### **LITTLE SUSAN (Dahliadel)**

A miniature Formal Decorative of soft tyrian rose shaded lighter pink. Blooms of 2½ inches are held on long stems. Bush height 3 feet.

**Plant \$1.50**

### **SUSAN R. (Rev. Moyer-Ruschmore)---**

A semi-cactus miniature in the blend class. Salmon pink and tan flowers, averaging 3 inches bloom from August until frost. Bush height about 3 feet.

**Plant \$1.00**

**3 Plants for \$2.50**

### **WHITE FAWN---M.F.D.---(Dixie)**

Waxy white, 3 in. bloom. Excellent substance with texture similar to that of a straw flower. An extremely abundant bloomer; dark glossy foliage on low compact bush. On three Honor Rolls. Certified at Storrs and Ohio.

**Plant \$1.50**



## **RECENT INTRODUCTIONS OF MERIT FORMAL DECORATIVE DAHLIAS**

### **AZTEC CHIEF---F.D. BLOOM 12 to 14 in. BUSH 5 ft.**

Enormous blooms of light Tomato red. Strong, fast growing bush with clean healthy foliage. Long and erect stems.

**Roots \$1.50**

**Plants .75**

### **CLASS---F.D.---**

This sulphur yellow formal has been grown to 15½ inches, but under ordinary conditions it is an 11-inch bloom. Very compact and not at all coarse, the petals fall well back towards the stem, when the bloom is fully developed. Stems are straight and rigid and hold the bloom almost directly on top. Bushes are rugged, medium height, and will produce five and six 10 and 11-inch blooms at the same time.

**Roots \$5.00**

**Plants \$2.50**

### **DEEP PURPLE---F.D. BLOOM 11 x 7 in. BUSH 5 ft.**

This dahlia is probably the largest true purple formal yet originated. Blooms that can be grown 12 to 13 in. face the side on long stiff stems. Ideal foliage that is dark, leathery and insect resistant.

**Roots \$4.00**

**Plants \$1.50**

### **PINK GIANT---F.D. BLOOM 9 x 4 in. BUSH 4½ ft.**

A very bright dahlia of tyrian pink. Plenty of flowers are produced on strong stems. Worth growing.

**Roots \$1.25**

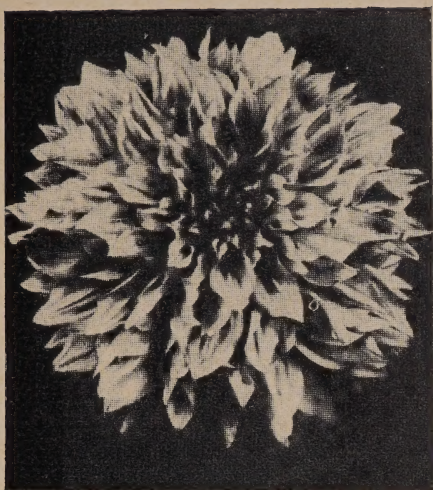
**Plant \$.50**

### **TOWN TOPIC---F.D. BLOOM 8 in.**

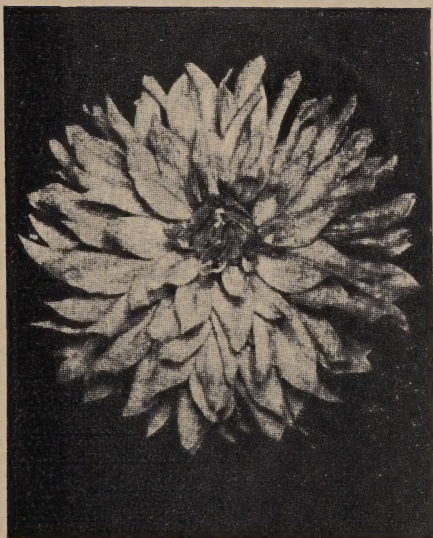
Color magenta purple tipped white. Bush growth rugged, with long stiff stems that holds the blooms well above the foliage.

**Plant \$1.00**





TROJAN



PINK GIANT

**VICTORY---F.D. BLOOM 10 x 6 in.**

Color is rose pink suffused gold. Keeping qualities are ideal and the stem and foliage, excellent.

**Roots \$2.00**

**Plants \$1.00**

**INFORMAL DECORATIVE DAHLIAS**

**ALICE MAY---I.D. BLOOM 11 in.**

This huge dahlia from Australia could best be described as a white "Lord of Autumn." A strong grower with excellent stems and foliage. Keeping qualities are all that could be desired.

**Roots \$1.50**

**Plants \$ .50**

**BILLS GOLD---I.D. BLOOM 11 x 7 in. BUSH 5 ft.**

An informal of beautiful gold. Long, strong stems hold the flowers of giant size with perfect poise. A gem for the show room.

**Plant \$2.00**

**BURCH FORAKER---I.D. BLOOM 12 in.**

Here is one dahlia that should be in every garden. Huge flowers of flame scarlet that commands instant attention. Beautiful growing habits and ideal stems.

**Roots \$2.00**

**Plants \$1.00**

**CHEROKEE BRAVE---I.D. BLOOM 11 x 6 BUSH 5 ft.**

Rich ox-blood red that holds its color in the sun. An early bloomer that produces many large flowers on long straight stems.

**Roots \$1.00**

**Plants \$.50**

**EVENTIDE---I.D. BLOOM 10 x 5 in. BUSH 5 ft.**

A seedling of Thomas Edison that retains its parent's staghorn petal formation. Deep violet purple in color, with the flowers facing sideways on strong stems.

**Roots \$2.00**

**Plants \$1.00**

**MAID MARION---I.D. BLOOM 11 x 6 in.**

A beautiful blend of yellow with tips shaded phlox pink, suffused with mauve. Flowering habit prolific, and the stems ideal. Keeping qualities are excellent.

**Plant \$2.50**

**SAN FRANCISCO---I.D. BLOOM 12 x 8 in. BUSH 5 ft.**

This dahlia is in a class by itself. Lovely shrimp pink in color, it blooms early with foliage of a fairly dark color.

**Roots \$1.50**

**Plants \$.50**

**SILVER LADY---I.D. BLOOM 10 x 6 in. BUSH 5 ft.**

An exquisite dahlia of ivory, lightly flushed and edged violet rose. Fine grower with rugged foliage and long stiff stems.

**Roots \$1.50**

**Plants \$.75**

**TROJAN---I.D.**

Giant flowers of carmine red overlaid yellow. Cane like stems plus healthy foliage makes this variety very desirable. Very popular with visitors to our gardens last season.

**Root \$5.00**

**Plant \$2.50**

## SEMI-CACTUS DAHLIAS

### ALL-AMERICAN---S.C.---

Mulberry rose suffused salmon with wax yellow at base of petals. The petals twist somewhat and point in all directions. Bushes six to seven feet high are covered with immense blooms which are held almost on top of straight stems. This is a very hardy dahlia and blooms are nearly as large when grown without fertilizer as when forced.

Roots \$7.50

Plants \$2.50

### BILLY LARCH---S.C. BLOOM 12 in. BUSH 5 ft.

Dark crimson, almost black at center. Bushes are healthy with erect stems. An Honor Roll dahlia.

Roots \$3.00

Plants \$1.00

### CONSUL-GENERAL QUIST---S.C. BLOOM 8 x 5 in. BUSH 4 ft.

A lovely dahlia of soft shell pink, darker to the center. Perfect grower with insect resisting foliage and produces many blooms on strong stems.

Roots \$1.50

Plants \$.75

### CONFUCIUS---S.C. BLOOM 12 in. BUSH - Medium tall.

This semi-cactus of tremendous size is a beautiful coral red in color. Very outstanding.

Plant \$2.50

### EDITH WILKIE---S.C.

Pure white blooms 12 to 15 inches in diameter. Awarded the Achievement Medal at the New York Worlds Fair. Unequalled for beauty, size, and keeping qualities.

1 Plant - \$5.00

2 for \$7.50

4 for \$10.00

### FIGARO---S.C. BLOOM 11 in.

A large size novelty dahlia of yellow splashed red. Good bush growth and strong stems.

Roots \$2.00

Plants \$.75

### FLASH---S.C. BLOOM 7 x 5 in. BUSH 4 ft.

An unusual bicolor of scarlet red tipped white. Profuse flowering habits with flowers having great keeping qualities.

Plant \$1.00

### HILLSIDE GOLD---S.C. BLOOM 7 x 4 in. BUSH 4 ft.

Plenty of flowers from early season right up to frost. Color combination of yellow and apricot.

Roots \$1.00

Plants \$.50

### LYNN FONTANNE---S.C. Bloom 13 x 9 in. BUSH 5 ft.

Spectrum red shaded carmine, with chrome yellow petals. Stems ideal, insect resisting foliage and free blooming habits. A meritorious variety.

Plant \$3.00

### MAFFIE---S.C. BLOOM 13 x 8 in. BUSH 6 ft.

One of the most outstanding dahlias of 1940. Massive blooms of lively carmine on the best of stems. Bush growth heavy, with dark insect resisting foliage. Do not miss the thrill of growing this wonderful dahlia.

Roots \$3.50

Plants \$1.50

### PINK AMELIA---S.C. BLOOM 12 x 6

A beautiful dahlia of glowing pink. Retains all the virtues of Amelia Earhart of which it is a sport.

Roots \$2.00

Plants \$1.00





ALL-AMERICAN



GLAMOUR

## STRAIGHT CACTUS DAHLIAS

### DOROTHY LAMOUR---St.C. BLOOM 10 x 5 in.

A beautiful straight cactus dahlia of persimmon shading to gold at center. Winner of many prizes.

Plant \$2.50

### MARY TAYLOR---St.C. BLOOM 9 in.

Grenadine pink with a lemon yellow center. Its color blending is most appealing. Excellent keeping qualities.

Roots \$1.50

Plants \$.75

## INCURVED CACTUS DAHLIAS

### CROWNING GLORY---I.C.

An outstanding dahlia of rose pink with a cream center. This dahlia upon opening appears somewhat semi-cactus in type, but as it develops the edges of the petals fall back and roll forming quills, which gradually incurve. Blooms are twelve inches and over with good depth and are held on long straight stems. The bush attains a height of six to seven feet and has good foliage.

Roots \$10.00

Plants \$3.50

### KILGORES LUCIFER---I.C. BLOOM 12 x 8 in.

Many blooms of this variety has been grown 14 inches and larger. Color Brazil red.

Plant \$1.50

### NANCY ANN MITCHELL---I.C.

An exceptionally fine incurved cactus of vivid scarlet. Profuse flowering habits, and long rigid stems.

Root \$3.00

Plant \$1.00

### SNOWCREST---I.C. BLOOM 6 x 3 in.

Creamy white with excellent keeping qualities. Early bloomer producing many flowers on the best of plants.

Plant \$1.50

### THUNDERBOLT---I.C. BLOOM 11 x 6 in. BUSH 5 ft.

This incurved cactus dahlia is of tremendous size. A brilliant scarlet in color, it blooms freely on long straight stems.

Plants only \$2.00

## STANDARD

## LARGE FLOWERING VARIETIES

### FORMAL DECORATIVE

### A. G. GOODACRE---F.D. BLOOM 9 to 10 in. BUSH 5 ft.

Lemon yellow, tipped white. An early, abundant bloomer on long strong stems with insect resisting foliage.

Roots \$1.00

Plants \$.50

### BRILLIANT LADY---I.D. BLOOM 10 x 6 in. BUSH 5 ft.

French purple with a reddish tinge, reflexed silver. Produces many flowers on long and straight stems.

Roots \$.75

### DEUIL DU ROI ALBERT---F.D. BLOOM 7 x 4 in. BUSH 4 ft.

This outstanding dahlia is pure white bordered purple.

Roots \$.50

### HASLEROVA---F.D. BLOOM 8 x 4 in. BUSH 4 ft.

Color white, flecked purple. Profuse bloomer with good stems.

Plant \$.50



ROBERT L. RIPLEY



DEVIL DU ROI ALBERT



**LOIS WALCHER---F.D. BLOOM 7 x 4 in. BUSH 4 ft.**

A sensational dahlia that attracts immediate attention. Purple with clear white tips. Strong grower and produces many blooms.

**Roots \$ .75**

**MRS. W. F. LORD---F.D. BLOOM 9 x 5 in. BUSH 4½ ft.**

One of the most satisfactory flowers in our gardens. Produces many blooms of golden orange with tints of pink on long strong stems.

**Roots \$.75**

**Plants \$.50**

**PIUS XI---F.D. BLOOM 7 x 4 in. BUSH 4½ ft.**

A splendid dahlia of papal yellow with white tips.

**Roots \$.50**

**Plants \$.50**

**VOLCANO---F.D. BLOOM 11 x 7 in. BUSH 4 ft.**

Huge flowers of orange flame red that does not burn or fade in the sun.

**Roots \$1.00**

**Plants \$.50**

**INFORMAL DECORATIVE DAHLIAS**

**CALIFORNIA IDOL---I.D. BLOOM 11 x 7 BUSH 4 ft.**

Clear lemon yellow of large size. One of the better dahlias.

**Roots \$.50**

**DIR. CARL DAHL---I.D. BLOOM 12 x 6 in. BUSH 4½ ft.**

Apricot buff with reverse of petals soft rose. Flowers of tremendous size bloom freely on strong stems.

**Roots \$.75**

**Plants \$.50**

**FREDA GEORGE---I.D. BLOOM 9 x 4 BUSH 5 ft.**

A beautiful dahlia of sulphury white suffused violet rose. Strong stems and healthy foliage.

**Roots \$1.00**

**Plants \$.50**

**GLAMOUR---I. D. BLOOM 11 x 7 in. BUSH 5 ft.**

Massive flowers of purple deeply edged amaranth pink. A rugged grower, with healthy foliage and stiff stems. Has been grown 14x11 inches.

**Roots \$1.50**

**Plants \$.75**

**HILLSIDE SUNSET---I.D. BLOOM 11 x 6 in. BUSH 4½ ft.**

Golden yellow penciled red. A splendid dahlia of very large size that has many awards to its credit.

**Roots \$2.00**

**Plants \$.75**

**HUNT'S VELVET WONDER---I.D. BLOOM 10 x 6 in. BUSH 5 ft.**

Large broad petaled blooms of rosy magenta blending into true purple.

**Roots \$.50**

**HILLCREST CINDERELLA---I.D. BLOOM 9 in. BUSH 5 ft.**

A true lavender of large size. Very good.

**Plant \$.75**

**JOYCE LOUISE---I.D. BLOOM 10 x 4 in. BUSH 3 ft.**

A very excellent dahlia of charming phlox pink. Fine grower.

**Plants \$.75**



BALLEGO'S SURPRISE



SUNRAY'S

**KATIE K.---I.D. BLOOM 11 x 6 in. BUSH 5 ft.**

Large blooms of soft violet rose with lighter veinings. This dahlia should be in every garden.

**Roots \$.75**

**KENTUCKY SPORTSMAN---I.D. BLOOM 10x5 in. Bu. 4 ft.**

One of the most popular. An unusual color of yellow at center, outer petals golden amber with a rose reverse, each petal tipped white. A free and early bloomer.

**Plant \$.75**

**LIEDEN'S ORANGE---I.D. BLOOM 8 x 4 in. BUSH 4 ft.**

Color, orange scarlet. Free bloomer on a healthy bush.

**Roots \$.50**

**MAYOR FRANK OTIS---I.D. BLOOM 12 x 6 in.**

Color is a rich golden yellow with a slight coppery shading. Keeps very well when cut and has won many awards.

**Roots \$.75**

**MRS. WM. K. KNUDSON---I.D. BLOOM 12 in. BUSH 5½ ft.**

Pure white of very large size. Rugged bush growth and long straight stems.

**Roots \$.50**

**MURPHY'S MASTERPIECE---I.D. BLOOM 11x4. BUSH 4 ft.**

Huge blooms of dark red shading to garnet. Won many prizes.

**Roots \$.75**

**Plants \$.50**

**RITA WELLS---I.D. BLOOM 11 x 7 in. BUSH 5 ft.**

Rose buff with reverse of petals grenadine pink. A strong grower producing many large flowers on erect stems.

**Roots \$2.00**

**Plants \$1.00**

**ROBERT L. RIPLEY---I.D. BLOOM 12 x 8 in. BUSH 5 ft.**

Color, rhodamine purple with rose pink suffusions. One of the largest dahlias grown.

**Roots \$1.50**

**Plants \$.75**

**SUNRAYS---I.D. BLOOM 11 x 7 in. BUSH 4 ft.**

Buff with an apricot suffusion. Good grower and a very pretty dahlia.

**Roots \$1.00**

**Plants \$.50**

**VIRGINIA RUTE---I.D. BLOOM 12 x 9 in. BUSH 5 ft.**

Massive blooms of ox-blood red shaded garnet on long strong stems.

**Roots \$1.00**

**WATCHUNG GIANT---I.D. BLOOM 11 x 6 in. BUSH 4½ ft.**

Amber yellow suffused orange. Won many prizes.

**Roots \$.50**

**SEMI-CACTUS DAHLIAS**

**BALLEGO'S SURPRISE---S.C. BLOOM 9 x 5 in. BUSH 5 ft.**

A beautiful white dahlia, with healthy bush growth, and strong erect stems. Combined with its excellent keeping qualities, this variety is outstanding.

**Roots \$.75**

**Plants \$.50**

**CHAMBERLAIN---S.C. BLOOM 10 x 5 in. BUSH 5 ft.**

Salmon rose with a violet sheen. Free flowering.

**Plants \$.50**



**JESSICA DRAGONETTE---S.C. BLOOM 12 x 6 in. BUSH 5 ft.**  
Very pretty color combination of buff apricot suffused pink and mauve.

Roots \$.50

**LAETARE---S.C. BLOOM 6 x 3 in. BUSH 4 ft.**  
Color soft red shading to gold at tips of petals. Good stems and fine flowering habits.

Plant \$.50

**MICHIGAN WHITE---I.D. BLOOM 7 x 3 in. BUSH 5 ft.**  
A very fine white dahlia. Exceptional heavy bloomer with good keeping qualities.

Roots \$.75

Plants \$.50

**MRS. STEWART---S.C. BLOOM 12 in. BUSH 5 ft.**  
An Australian variety of great merit. Blooms of salmon apricot with a pink reverse, will grow easily up to 12 inches.

Roots \$.75

**ONE GRAND---S.C. BLOOM 12 in. BUSH 6 ft.**  
Bright canary yellow. Very large.

Roots \$.50

**RED JUG---S.C. BLOOM 8 x 5 in. BUSH 5 ft.**  
Brilliant crimson carmine with faint yellow tips.

Roots \$.50

**YOUR LUCKY STAR---S.C. BLOOM 9 x 4 in. BUSH 4 ft.**  
This charming dahlia of amaranth pink with a white center, is very easy to grow. With its long straight stems and healthy foliage it is fast becoming very popular.

Roots \$1.00

Plants \$.50

## STRAIGHT CACTUS DAHLIAS

**BALLERINA---St.C. BLOOM 7 x 4 in. BUSH 5 ft.**  
Salmon orange with a touch of peach red. Fine for cut flowers and exhibition.

Roots \$.50

**CARDINAL VON ROSSUM---C. BLOOM 6 x 3 in.**  
A foreign origination of merit. Deep violet purple. Very free flowering.

Plant \$.50

**FRAU IDA MANSFIELD---St.C. BLOOM 7x4 in. BUSH 4 ft.**  
A free bloomer of clear lemon yellow.

Roots \$.75

**JERSEY'S DAINTY---St.C. BLOOM 7 x 3 in. BUSH 5 ft.**  
This lovely dahlia is white faintly tinged lavender. Very popular.

Roots \$.50

**MRS. BRUCE COLLINS---St.C. BLOOM 9 x 4 in. BUSH 4 ft.**  
Primrose yellow shading lighter to tips of petals.

Roots \$.50

**MRS. HERBERT O'CONNOR---St.C. BLOOM 9 x 5 in. BUSH 5 ft.**  
Bright rose pink on slender but erect stems.

Roots \$.50

Plants \$.50

## INCURVED CACTUS DAHLIAS

**BERNICE GEER---I.C. BLOOM 8 x 5 in. BUSH 4½ ft.**  
Deep rose pink with old rose suffusions. A very fine bloomer.

Roots \$.50

**GOLDEN STANDARD---I.C. BLOOM 9 x 5 in. BUSH 5 ft.**  
An old favorite of warm buff shaded amber.

Roots \$.50

# STANDARD

## SMALL FLOWERING VARIETIES

### MINIATURE FORMAL DECORATIVE DAHLIAS

	Roots	Plants
BABY SAGAMORE, Deep orange yellow .....	\$ .35	
HULIN'S CHERUB, Color, glowing pink .....	.50	
McKAY'S PURITY, Pure white. Fine grower.....	.35	
RITA MARIE, Glistening bronze .....	.35	
SYLVIA, Garnet red .....	.25	
SPIRIT, Deep red with snow white tips .....	1.50	\$.75
VERMILLON BRILLIANT, Vermillion red .....	.35	

### MINIATURE INFORMAL DECORATIVE DAHLIAS

GLORIOUS, Raspberry Red .....	.25
ONAH, A miniature Jane Cowl, golden orange ....	.35

### MINIATURE SEMI-CACTUS DAHLIAS

#### ANDRIES ORANGE---M.S.C.

A beautiful miniature of bright orange that produces many flowers on strong stems.

Roots \$.50

#### BETSY T.---

Color, pale rosaline purple. Petals revolute to pin points. Keeps very well as a cut flower.

Root \$2.00

Plant \$1.00

DUBONNET, Rich ox-blood red .....	.35
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JAMBOREE, Pink and light bronze .....	.35
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#### LITTLE DIAMOND--

One of the best of all the small flowering dahlias. Color, violet rose with a sulphur yellow center.

Roots \$.75

Plants \$.50

MARKET JEWEL, Dark velvety red .....	.35
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#### MIA---

Fiery red is the color of this splendid miniature dahlia that we introduced from Holland. Producer of many fine blooms on long straight stems that keep well after cutting. The best of its color.

Roots \$1.00

Plants \$.50

SALMON BABY, Salmon with an apricot center ....	1.50	.50
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SNOWSPRITE, Snow white .....	.50	.50
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TIP, Profuse bloomer of lovely yellow .....	1.00	.50
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### MINIATURE CACTUS DAHLIAS

JULIA S., Deep rose pink .....	.35
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LITTLE DREAM, Rose pink with a white center.....	.35
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#### LITTLE MISS PRIM---

A choice miniature of rose pink, shading lighter at center. Ideal for cutting and for landscape plantings.

Plants \$.50

### MINIATURE PEONY DAHLIAS

BISHOP OF LLANDAFF, Brilliant scarlet with bronze foliage .....	.25
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PINK LASSIE. Soft rose pink .....	.35	.35
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### SINGLE DAHLIAS

HELVETIA (UNION JACK), Scarlet and white ....	.25
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## DAHLIA SEED

There is no thrill in growing dahlias that can compare with raising your own from seed. The possibility exists that you may be lucky enough to originate a far better dahlia than any other on the market today. We offer seed produced in California, and taken from large exhibition type dahlias only. They will flower and produce a clump of roots the first season.

20 seed, \$1.00    50 seed, \$2.50    100 seed \$4.50

To those who would prefer seedling pot plants, we can supply seedlings (from the above seed) ready to plant out, at \$2.00 per dozen.

## ROOTED CUTTINGS

Rooted cuttings of any variety in the catalog listed as plants, may be purchased from us at a 33 1/3% discount from the plant prices. We guarantee strong healthy cuttings and safe delivery. These cuttings are highly recommended by everyone who has had them.

## PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

**TERMS:** Remittances with order please; or 25% with order, balance at shipping time.

Quotations in this catalog are for A1 quality stock and are as low in price as is consistent with good service, liberal replacement policies, worthwhile extras, and the supply of the variety

**REFERENCES:** Dun and Bradstreet, New York City; Peoples State Bank of Baldwin, L. I.

**ORDER EARLY:** We ask that you forward your order to us as early as possible, as the demand for some varieties exceeds the supply. We do not substitute without your permission.

**POSTAGE:** We pay postage on all retail orders over \$2.00.

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